

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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HONG LIU,	:	
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Plaintiff,	:	Case No. 1:20-cv-00019-GBD
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-v.-	:	
	:	Judge George B. Daniels
FARADAY&FUTURE INC., SMART KING	:	
LTD., JIAWEI WANG, and CHAOYING	:	CIVIL CASE MANAGEMENT PLAN AND
DENG,	:	SCHEDULE
	:	
Defendants	:	
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This Civil Case Management Plan and Scheduling Order, submitted in accordance with Rule 26(f), Fed. R. Civ. P., is adopted as the Scheduling Order of this Court in accordance with Rule 16(f), Fed. R. Civ. P.

1. An Initial pretrial conference will be held on **Thursday, March 26, 2020 at 9:30 a.m.** at the United States District Courthouse, 500 Pearl Street, New York, New York, Courtroom 11A.
2. No **Additional parties** may be joined **August 10, 2020.**
3. No amendment to the pleadings will be permitted **August 10, 2020.**
4. Except for good cause shown, all **discovery** shall be commenced in time to be completed by **September 7, 2020.** The court expects discovery to be completed within 90 days of the first scheduling conference unless, after the expiration of that 90 days period, all counsel stipulate that additional time (not to exceed 60 more days) is needed to complete discovery. In such event, discovery may be extended by the parties on consent, without application to the Court, provided the parties are certain they can still meet the discovery completion date ordered by the Court. The discovery completion date shall not be adjourned except upon a showing of extraordinary circumstances.
5. **Dispositive motions** are to be served by **October 12, 2020.** Answering papers are to be served within 14 days. Reply papers are to be served within seven (7) days. In the event a dispositive motion is made, the date for submitting the Joint Pretrial Order shall be changed from that shown herein to three (3) weeks from the decision on the motion. The final pretrial conference shall be adjourned to a date four (4) weeks from the decision on the motion.
6. A final **pretrial conference** will be held **November 19, 2020 at 9:45 a.m.**

7. The **Joint Pretrial Order** shall be filed no later than **November 12, 2020**. The requirements for the pretrial order and other pretrial submissions shall be governed by the Court's Individual Rules of Practice.
8. **All motions and applications** shall be governed by the Court's Individual Rules of Practice.
9. The parties shall be **ready for trial** within 48 hours, notice on or **December 14, 2020**. The estimated trial time is 4-5 days, and this is a jury trial.
10. A **Status Conference** will be held on **July 30, 2020 at 9:45 a.m.**

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE COURT:

This ORDER may not be modified or the dates herein extended, except by further Order of this Court for good cause shown. Any application to modify or extend shall be made in a written application in accordance with paragraph II(C) of the Court's Individual Practices and shall be made no less than 48 hours prior to the expiration of the date sought to be extended.

George B. Daniels
United States District Judge

Dated: New York, New York
_____, 2020

s/ Jake Nachmani
Attorney for Plaintiff

s/ Daniel N. Anziska
Attorney for Defendants